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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In order to ensure compliance with the applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.97(a)-(d), Applicant hereby submits this Information Disclosure Statement as a supplement to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 18, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application.

It is respectfully requested that the information cited in annexed Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner, and that such art be made of record in said application. A copy of the information identified is also provided.

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exhaustive listing of the relevant art or that these items are prior art. The items listed are submitted in good faith, but are not intended to substitute for the Examiner's search. It is hoped, however, that in addition to apprising the Examiner of the particular items, they will assist in identifying fields of search and in making as full and complete a search as possible.

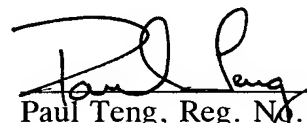
The items listed were cited in a search report (copy enclosed) on a European application corresponding to the present U.S. application. It is noted that the Japanese patent application publication No. 2000 261640 in the European Search Report has been already submitted to the USPTO in the earlier Information Disclosure Statement filed June 18, 2003.

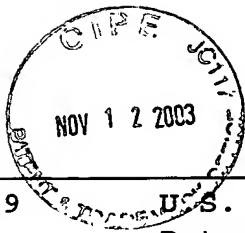
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To the best of Applicant's knowledge, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the date of mailing of a first Office Action on the merits in connection with this case and no fee is believed to be due. However, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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